

NOTICE
To the Editors and Property Holders at the Municipality of Calgary.
GENTLEMEN:—
Your apathy or unwillingness to attend the meeting last evening in decisive numbers in compliance with my request to consider a matter of most vital importance to common welfare, namely: protection against fire, constrains me to tender you my resignation of the office of Mayor of this town, which I so far have held unwillingly, until the present damaging complications.

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J. H. Cummings and H. S. McLeod, of the Pullman Saloon and the Grand Central Hotel, respectively, were fined \$400 and costs, each, and sentenced to six months imprisonment at hard labor, by Superintendent Antrobus this morning for selling liquor. Two others were sentenced to \$200 and costs, and a fifth for gambling to \$50 and costs. We understand that Cummings and McLeod have been in trouble twice before for the same offence.

While Captain Antrobus administered the law as it is laid down in the statute book for the special benefit of these territories, we wish to point out some features which must excite comment in the minds of all thinking men at present.

While the C.P.R. Dining cars are allowed to sell liquor in the territories, and while the universal belief in the northwest is that a license system is about to be granted to the territories, the sentiment in regard to the present law must be sufficiently weakened to make the law at present seem disproportionate to the offence.

As long as the murders of young Scott, who was murdered in broad daylight this week within four miles of town, escape unscathed of justice, and pursuit considered hopeless; it must appear that murder is considered less of a crime in the territories than in whistkey selling.

As long as a stage can be robbed within 16 miles of Calgary, the passenger's lives threatened, and the mail opened, it must appear that highway robbery and the robbery of Her Majesty's mail are less considered than the crime of selling whistkey.

THE LIET-GOVERNORS ARRIVAL
Lieut-Governor Dewdney arrived in town last night on his way to Banff and the coast, where he hopes to recover from the severe attack of sciatica which has invaded him for the past two months.

The Li-Governor spent the day receiving visitors and in visiting the Elbow bridge and inspecting the plans and estimates for the Bow river bridge. Amongst others, the two members elected to the N.W. Council called upon the Li-Governor and represented to him the need there was for immediate action on the part of the territorial government in regard to having a road built over the river on the Macleod trail between Hvy. Mr. Smith's and Mr. David Hamilton's farms. His Honor intimated that if a reasonable estimate, sufficient to do this work, were submitted to him, he would have it ready published and the work made possible at once.

In regard to the Bow river bridge, the Minister of Public Works would have against forthwith with the desirability of having the construction proceeded with before winter set in.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS BY MADAME BOULEAU.

On Saturday evening the members of Steele's Scouts assembled at the Town Hall to receive their medals for the late campaign. Among these present were Major

General String, Judge and Madame Rouleau, Mayor Hatten, late commanding Alberta Mounted Rifles, Capt. Goodwyn, late Chief Supply Officer, A.P.F., and Messrs. Murdoch, Reilly, Campbell, Baily, Stewart and other friends of the boys.

General String opened the proceedings with a short address and then called the roll and each man came to the front in answer to his name, Madame Rouleau pinned the medal on his breast after which the General gave him a hearty hand shake, and hoped that he would live long to wear the medal he had so deservedly won. At the conclusion of the ceremony, and after being decorated himself by Madame Rouleau, the General addressed the men in his usual happy and soldierly style, saying that he trusted that the brotherhood feeling and bond of comradely engendered by this campaign would never be cast away by the members of the A. F. F. He stated that he had spent 30 years of his life in the military service commanding soldiers, and although Steele's Scouts were not regular soldiers he could assure them that he had never commanded or seen any body of men that was better practical soldiers than they were, and that he was proud of the honor of having commanded such men. He then alluded in complimentary terms to the valuable scouting services rendered by the corps and regretted exceedingly the absence tonight of their gallant commander Major Steele.

After some pleasant and soldierly remarks relative to the other corps of the corps, Capt. Oswald and Lt. Corryell, who have left this district, and also to their comrades of the gallant 65th and other corps engaged, he concluded his address by calling for three cheers for Her Majesty which were heartily and spontaneously given.

On the proposal of the General, a hearty and unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to Madame Rouleau for her kindness in presenting the medals. Sergt-Major Wilson then stepped forward and on behalf of the corps presented General String with a gold mounted cane, accompanied by the following address:

TO MAJOR GEN. T. B. STRING.
SIR:—On behalf of the members of "Steele's Scouts," we, the undersigned, beg leave to tender you this slight token of the respect and esteem in which you are, and always have been, held by that body.

Sympathizing with you as we most heartily do in the physical misfortune with which it has pleased the Almighty to visit you; and deploring the attitude which you, as an officer, have seemed to assume towards you, and the tardiness of the Dominion Government to recognize becomingly your very valuable services, we beg to assure you that among the humble corps which had the honor of serving under you, and observing your many excellent qualities as a man and a soldier, there exists no other feeling for you than sympathy for your position and unbounded respect, esteem and confidence.

Accept then this humble pledge of that feeling and rest assured that it is our earnest hope that should a country's welfare again demand a presence at the front, we may be by General String or by as good soldier.

WM. WILSON, Sergt-Major.
T. MCGILL, Capt.
S. J. MCGILL, Capt.
T. L. TROTT, Troop.

General String in reply said that he was greatly pleased and surprised at this token of their esteem and could not tell them how highly he should always prize their kindly gift, although on account of his unfortunate sciatica he could not yet walk very well he could still ride and in any further trouble again in this country he will call on Steele's Scouts would be again to the front.

Mr. Reilly in a brief speech paid a tribute to Major-General String and the Alberta Field Force, which concluded the evening's proceedings.

Communication.

Is the Police Organization Defective?

In these days, when efficiency is so prevalent throughout the land, the above question naturally arises. I don't know whether there is any regular organized system laid down at present by which the police is divided into districts and units of stated intervals. If it is, it is not only to be of use, but if the system already exists it is evident, in my opinion, that it is defective. Assuming that such a plan is present in present action of the guardians of the people riding on daily in a body a few miles into the country and return in the foot in 4 1/2 hours, I believe, would it not be infinitely better to have the men in command at Calgary, Macleod and Edmonton combined together without delay, and after living on a very low salary, divide the force under their respective commands into small companies with a sergeant or lieutenant in charge and

also orders privately, if necessary, as to the district or part of the country to be visited daily, calling occasionally on subscribers by the way, thereby not only keeping the body acquainted with the geography of the country, but affording an excellent opportunity of picking up valuable information regarding the movements of these kinds of prey who have recently left many parts of their whereabouts in our net. In the event of any company on duty not being particularly busy, or finding that the distance would prevent their return, to keep the same day, I am sure any of these remote settlers would be only too glad to accommodate them for the night, as their presence there would be a check on these marauders and at the same time create a feeling of greater security in that district, thereby making them welcome visitors. Two routes to be followed and two dates for visiting certain localities should be varied according to circumstances. This would I consider, be the best means of checking the present unsatisfactory state of matters and will some such mode of action be adopted, either on the road or the travelling public on the whole.

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